

This folder contains the replication materials for the article:
Media Manipulation in Young Democracies: Evidence from the 1989 Brazilian Presidential Election

Replication folder. We follow an adapted version of the folder and code structure suggested by Ricardo Dahis (https://github.com/rdahis/paper_template), which is a reference in scientific replication.

The input files are stored on: "C:/Users/\$user/Dropbox/\$project/master/output/data"

The output tables are stored on: "C:/Users/\$user/Dropbox/\$project/master/output/tables"

The output figures are stored on: "C:/Users/\$user/Dropbox/\$project/master/output/figures"

Preliminaries. Type your computer path in the globals "user" and "project" in the do-file **_Premilinar.do** to adjust the preamble of each do-file. More precisely, each do-file has preambles creating locals with the following structure:

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local path_input "C:/Users/$user/Dropbox/$project/master/output/data"  
local path_output "C:/Users/$user/Dropbox/$project/master/output/figures"
```

Replicating this paper. There is no single compiler file, so you will have to run the do-files individually. However, each do-file generating each output in the papers runs individually by pressing play.

The name of the do-file generating each output (figures and tables) in the paper is organised in the sheet **codes_and_outputs** in excel file **structure_replication_package.csv**. The table also describes the name of the output file (.tex or .png) uploaded at the overleaf. When some figures are edited manually, we name them by adding "_edited" at the end of their names.

Input files and codebooks. The input files are divided into three categories:

- Electoral data:
- Survey data:
- Experimental data:

The codebook of the variables in each of the three data sets is described in the sheet **codebooks** in excel file **structure_replication_package.csv**